

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT RECREATION FEE PROGRAM SUMMARY FY11 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

NAME OF FEE PROJECT: AZ12 TUCSON FIELD OFFICE SPECIAL
RECREATION PERMITS PROGRAM

STATE: AZ

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DESCRIPTION:

The Tucson Field Office Special Recreation Permit program authorized use of public lands in connection with commercial recreational use and organized groups. Permits were primarily for use of primitive roads and trails for commercial sightseeing tours by 4WD and ATV, and equestrian trail rides.

FEE SCHEDULE:

The SRP fee schedule for commercial activities is established nationally for all BLM field offices. Fee receipts derived from recreational commercial, competitive, and organized group event SRPs are routinely calculated using national fee schedule guidance found in BLM Recreation Permit Administration Manual H-2930-1, Section III.G., as established by 43 CFR 2930. As of March 2011, the SRP fee schedule is the following:

- Commercial permits are the maximum of \$100 or 3% of the gross revenue.
- Organized-group use is \$5 per person per day or \$100, whichever is greater.

SPECIFIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN FY11:

No fee revenues were spent from this account.

PROJECTS/ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR FY12:

In FY12, pending permit applications and renewals will be processed using Federal appropriations. Fee revenues may be expended to produce visitor information for the permit use area, assist with signing and implementation of travel management plans in activities subject to permit program requirements if the need exists.